

Historic, Archive Document

Do not assume content reflects current scientific knowledge, policies, or practices.

Reserve

1.941
H8IC2

Production of
ICE CREAM
and
RELATED FROZEN PRODUCTS
MAY 1967

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Statistical Reporting Service
Crop Reporting Board
Released June 21, 1967
1300-A Main P.O. Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 60607

ICE CREAM PRODUCTION

Ice cream production in the United States in May is estimated at 67,780,000 gallons, the Crop Reporting Board reports. This is 2 percent larger than both in May 1966 and the 1961-65 average for the month. Output was the second highest recorded for May: 2 percent less than the all-time record set in 1946 after World War II. Production through May this year is about the same as the 5-month total of last year, although 4 percent above the 5-year average. Output advanced 16 percent from April to May, compared with 10 percent at this time in 1966 and 12 percent on the average in the 1961-65 period. Temperatures during May averaged below normal in most of the United States except for the following: (1) most of California and parts of Oregon and Nevada; (2) the lower portion of Texas; (3) the Florida peninsula.

Ice cream production in May was more than a year earlier in all regions except the South Atlantic and the Mountain, where it was 2 percent less in each. Output increased 1 percent in both the North Atlantic Region and the Pacific. Other regional increases were 7 percent in the East North Central States, 5 percent in the West North Central and 2 percent in the South Central. In the three leading-producing states, production was up 11 percent in Pennsylvania and 3 percent in California, but was down 4 percent in New York.

Compared with the 1961-65 average for May, changes in production were varied. Output was about the same in the Mountain Region, while it was down 1 percent in both the North Atlantic and the South Atlantic. Increases in all other regions ranged from 3 percent in the South Central to 12 percent in the Pacific. Production increased 4 percent in the East North Central Region and 5 percent in the West North Central. In the three leading states, output was 5 percent more in Pennsylvania and 14 percent larger in California, while 9 percent less in New York.

PRODUCTION OF ICE CREAM, UNITED STATES, 1967

MONTH	ENUMERATED		ESTIMATED		CHANGE FROM:	
	1961-65 Average	1965	1966	1967	1961-65 Av.	1966
	Thousand Gallons				Percent	
January	47,123	49,352	50,400	50,840	+ 8	+ 1
February	48,120	50,476	50,655	50,315	+ 5	- 1
March	57,854	60,504	63,020	62,660	+ 8	- 1
April	59,364	63,006	60,310	58,675	- 1	- 3
May	66,206	67,019	66,155	67,780	+ 2	+ 2
FIVE MONTH TOTAL	278,667	290,357	290,540	290,270	+ 4	0
June	73,370	76,793	77,110			
July	77,508	79,039	80,840			
August	75,836	78,026	78,370			
September	64,123	68,127	66,755			
October	56,818	58,026	57,285			
November	50,161	54,728	52,720			
December	46,954	51,951	50,610			
TWELVE MONTH TOTAL	723,437	757,047	754,230			

Da 2-4 (6-67)

After five days return to
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Statistical Reporting Service
1300-A Main Post Office Building
Chicago, Illinois 60607

Postage and Fees Paid
U.S. Department of Agriculture

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL LIBRARY

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

NOV 1 1967

PRODUCTION OF ICE CREAM: MAY 1967

STATE AND GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION	MAY PRODUCTION				PERCENT CHANGE IN MAY 1967 PRODUCTION FROM:	
	ENUMERATED		ESTIMATED		MAY 5-YEAR AVERAGE	MAY 1966
	1961-65 AVERAGE	1965	1966	1967		
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
Maine	512	319	360	310	- 39	- 14
Massachusetts	2,980	3,173	3,340	3,300	+ 11	- 1
Connecticut	902	1,313	1,050	1,000	+ 11	- 5
New York	6,862	6,826	6,500	6,250	- 9	- 4
New Jersey	2,055	2,182	1,880	1,850	- 10	- 2
Pennsylvania	6,570	6,214	6,240	6,900	+ 5	+ 11
Other N.A. States ..	465	472	450	480	+ 3	+ 4
NO. ATLANTIC STATES	20,346	20,499	19,830	20,090	- 1	+ 1
Ohio	3,808	3,764	3,900	4,150	+ 9	+ 6
Indiana	2,734	2,699	2,380	2,470	- 10	+ 4
Illinois	3,591	3,727	3,350	3,770	+ 5	+ 13
Michigan	3,027	3,040	3,120	3,430	+ 13	+ 10
Wisconsin	2,065	2,013	1,995	1,950	- 6	- 2
E. N. CENTRAL STATES	15,225	15,243	14,745	15,770	+ 4	+ 7
Minnesota	1,715	1,697	2,000	2,100	+ 22	+ 5
Iowa	886	923	885	1,000	+ 13	+ 13
Missouri	1,644	1,556	1,470	1,440	- 12	- 2
North Dakota	244	242	205	230	- 6	+ 12
South Dakota	181	166	150	140	- 23	- 7
Nebraska	790	924	895	970	+ 23	+ 8
Kansas	566	495	460	475	- 16	+ 3
WEST NO. CENT. STATES	6,026	6,003	6,065	6,355	+ 5	+ 5
District of Columbia	630	638	605	630	0	+ 4
Maryland	1,304	1,269	1,300	1,100	- 16	- 15
Virginia	1,236	1,250	1,020	980	- 21	- 4
West Virginia	508	591	540	530	+ 4	- 2
North Carolina	1,410	1,371	1,530	1,570	+ 11	+ 3
Georgia	859	940	870	900	+ 5	+ 3
Florida	1,629	1,542	1,710	1,610	- 1	- 6
Other S.A. States ..	839	967	870	975	+ 16	+ 12
SO. ATLANTIC STATES	8,415	8,568	8,445	8,295	- 1	- 2
Kentucky	474	511	435	495	+ 4	+ 14
Tennessee	1,428	1,426	1,395	1,305	- 9	- 6
Alabama	831	797	705	650	- 22	- 8
Mississippi	354	330	345	325	- 8	- 6
Arkansas	278	244	240	215	- 23	- 10
Louisiana	773	738	805	890	+ 15	+ 11
Oklahoma	539	533	550	595	+ 10	+ 8
Texas	2,219	2,338	2,480	2,640	+ 19	+ 6
SO. CENTRAL STATES	6,896	6,917	6,955	7,115	+ 3	+ 2
Montana	184	170	165	185	+ 1	+ 12
Idaho	272	269	260	290	+ 7	+ 12
Colorado	726	763	775	605	- 17	- 22
Arizona	357	400	405	390	+ 9	- 4
Utah	382	355	340	430	+ 13	+ 26
Other Mt. States ...	233	225	265	260	+ 12	- 2
MOUNTAIN STATES	2,154	2,182	2,210	2,160	0	- 2
Washington	1,125	1,096	1,230	1,120	0	- 9
Oregon	516	496	620	640	+ 24	+ 3
California	5,319	5,835	5,875	6,050	+ 14	+ 3
PACIFIC STATES	6,960	7,427	7,725	7,810	+ 12	+ 1
UNITED STATES 1/	66,206	67,019	66,155	67,780	+ 2	+ 2

1/Includes Alaska and Hawaii.

ICE MILK PRODUCTION

Ice milk production in the United States during May was estimated at 25,815,000 gallons, the Crop Reporting Board reports. This is 5 percent more than in May 1966 and 22 percent larger than the 1961-65 average for the month. Output in the first five months of this year was 6 percent larger than the January-May total of last year and 30 percent greater than the 5-year average.

Production advanced 24 percent from April to May, compared with 22 percent at this time in 1966 and the average of 26 percent in the 1961-65 period. Seasonal gains occurred in all regions. The increases were particularly sharp in northern and western sections of the United States.

Compared with May 1966, output decreased slightly in the North Atlantic Region. Moderate increases occurred in all other regions.

PRODUCTION OF ICE MILK, UNITED STATES, 1967

MONTH	ENUMERATED		ESTIMATED		CHANGE FROM:	
	1961-65				1961-65 Av.	1966
	Average	1965	1966	1967		
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
January	9,025	11,065	11,930	13,510	+ 50	+ 13
February	10,038	12,075	12,225	13,175	+ 31	+ 8
March	13,698	15,789	18,205	18,890	+ 38	+ 4
April	16,775	19,695	20,125	20,775	+ 24	+ 3
May	21,113	23,728	24,570	25,815	+ 22	+ 5
FIVE MONTH TOTAL	70,649	82,352	87,055	92,165	+ 30	+ 6
June	24,223	26,897	29,190			
July	26,476	29,754	30,810			
August	25,305	27,943	29,760			
September	18,929	21,652	22,445			
October	14,809	16,900	16,680			
November	11,111	13,533	13,415			
December	9,335	11,964	12,570			
TWELVE MONTH TOTAL	200,837	230,995	241,925			

SHERBET PRODUCTION

Sherbet production in the United States during May, estimated at 4,840,000 gallons, was 1 percent less than in May 1966, but 5 percent more than the 1961-65 average for the month. The January-May output this year, is holding at about the same level as that of a year ago, but is 11 percent above the 5-year average for these months.

Seasonally, production gained 25 percent from April to May, the same as a year earlier. This compares with a 29-percent advance in the 1961-65 period. All regions registered substantial gains, which were less sharp in the South Central and Mountain States.

Compared with May 1966, production decreased in both the South Atlantic Region and the South Central, while it was unchanged in the East North Central. Increases occurred in all other regions.

PRODUCTION OF SHERBET, UNITED STATES, 1967

MONTH	ENUMERATED		ESTIMATED		CHANGE FROM:	
	1961-65				1961-65 Av.	1966
	Average	1965	1966	1967		
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
January	2,209	2,397	2,525	2,535	+ 15	0
February	2,233	2,435	2,540	2,565	+ 15	+ 1
March	3,061	3,285	3,505	3,560	+ 16	+ 2
April	3,575	3,801	3,930	3,870	+ 8	- 2
May	4,616	4,786	4,895	4,840	+ 5	- 1
FIVE MONTH TOTAL	15,694	16,704	17,395	17,370	+ 11	0
June	5,310	5,438	5,775			
July	5,753	5,889	6,470			
August	5,150	5,319	5,405			
September	3,540	3,942	3,875			
October	2,764	2,979	3,035			
November	2,271	2,618	2,460			
December	2,060	2,591	2,475			
TWELVE MONTH TOTAL	42,542	45,480	46,890			

"MELLORINE-TYPE" FROZEN DESSERTS PRODUCTION

May production of Mellorine and other frozen desserts made with fats and oils other than milkfat was placed at 5,220,000 gallons. This is 7 percent greater than in May 1966 and 5 percent more than the 1961-65 average for the month. Output in the first five months of this year was up 2 percent from the January-May period in 1966 and 6 percent from the 5-year average.

Production advanced 20 percent from April to May this year, compared with 11 percent between these months in 1966 and 14 percent on the average in the 1961-65 period. Seasonal gains occurred in all Mellorine-producing states except Illinois.

Compared with May 1966, output was down in Missouri and Louisiana, while it was steady in Illinois, South Carolina, Alabama, and Montana. Production was up in all other Mellorine-producing states.

PRODUCTION OF "MELLORINE-TYPE" FROZEN DESSERTS, UNITED STATES 1967

MONTH	ENUMERATED		ESTIMATED		CHANGE FROM:	
	1961-65 Average	1965	1966	1967	1961-65 Av.	1966
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
January	3,097	3,407	3,360	3,430	+ 11	+ 2
February	3,250	3,426	3,260	3,345	+ 3	+ 3
March	4,086	4,257	4,625	4,580	+ 12	- 1
April	4,354	4,680	4,395	4,355	0	- 1
May	4,954	4,970	4,870	5,220	+ 5	+ 7
FIVE MONTH TOTAL	19,741	20,740	20,510	20,930	+ 6	+ 2
June	5,359	5,530	5,850			
July	5,776	6,007	5,450			
August	5,672	5,843	5,660			
September	4,533	4,836	4,580			
October	4,090	3,928	3,860			
November	3,012	3,347	3,055			
December	2,588	2,938	2,770			
TWELVE MONTH TOTAL	50,771	53,169	51,745			

WATER ICE PRODUCTION

Water ice production in the United States in May was estimated at 4,795,000 gallons. This is 4 percent more than in May 1966, but 5 percent less than the 1961-65 average for the month. Aggregate output January through May this year is 6 percent more than in the same period last year and 9 percent greater than the average of the preceding 5-year period.

The seasonal increase from April to May was 43 percent this year, compared with 38 percent at this time in 1966 and 51 percent on the average in the 1961-65 period. Sharp seasonal increases occurred in all regions.

Compared with May 1966, production decreased in the West North Central Region and the South Atlantic. Increases occurred in the remaining regions. The gains were sharpest in the East North Central Region and the West.

PRODUCTION OF WATER ICES, UNITED STATES 1967

MONTH	ENUMERATED		ESTIMATED		CHANGE FROM:	
	1961-65 Average	1965	1966	1967	1961-65 Av.	1966
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
January	854	946	1,015	1,110	+ 30	+ 9
February	1,140	1,312	1,350	1,660	+ 46	+ 23
March	2,184	2,311	2,580	2,715	+ 24	+ 5
April	3,345	3,384	3,345	3,350	0	0
May	5,038	5,591	4,615	4,795	- 5	+ 4
FIVE MONTH TOTAL	12,561	13,544	12,905	13,630	+ 9	+ 6
June	5,865	6,058	6,395			
July	6,032	6,370	6,915			
August	4,697	5,081	5,645			
September	2,523	2,660	2,675			
October	1,418	1,449	1,610			
November	916	1,104	1,125			
December	691	853	975			
TWELVE MONTH TOTAL	34,703	37,119	38,245			